



Delaware Early Childhood Council

Meeting Agenda

January 30, 2019

10:00 A.M. – 12:00 P.M.

Delaware State Police Troop 2, 100 LaGrange Avenue
Newark, DE

The mission of the DECC is to promote the development of a comprehensive and coordinated early childhood system, birth to eight, which provides the highest quality services and environment for Delaware's children and their families.

9:30 AM.....Networking	All
10:00 AM.....Welcome, Call to Order, and Approval of Minutes Introduction of Clara Martinez, new Ex-Officio member Announcement of Debra Taylor, new DECC Member (Head Start Collab. Director)	Madeleine Bayard
10:05 AM.....Discussion: Governor's Recommended Budget Request	Jon Sheehan Molly Magarik Kim Krzanowski
10:15 AM..... Preschool Development Grant Birth-Five (PDG) Update	Kim Krzanowski Caitlin Gleason
10:25 AM.....PDG Federal Priority - Maximizing Parental Access and Choice: MyChildDE Update and Summary of January 15 Meeting	Lynn Kelley
Strategic Planning/ Early Childhood System Data Systems Integration: What's Underway and Future Plans	Madeleine Bayard Patches Hill
10:40 AM.....Discussion: \$tand By Me: Support for Families with Young Children and Early Care/Education Workforce	Mary DuPont
10:55 AM.....Update: Expanding Pre-K in Delaware	Madeleine Bayard Julie Johnson
11:05 AM.....Update: Delaware Readiness Teams/K registration	Diane Frentzel
11:15 AM.....DHSS Updates	DHSS
11:20 AM.....Updates from the Office of Early Learning <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Staffing• QRIS Redesign Update	Kimberly Krzanowski John Fisher-Klein

11:30 AM.....Sub-Committee Chair Reports and Related Topics

- Early Learning Data and Policy
 - Early Learner Survey Data
- Healthy Young Children and Families
 - Inclusion Self-Assessment Update
- Early Learning Programs and Workforce
 - Apprenticeships and Pre-Apprenticeships

**Madeleine Bayard
Caitlin Gleason
Leslie Newman
Cindy Brown/Jamie Walko
Dr. Kim Brancato
Julie Johnson
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11:55 AM.....Community Updates

12:00 PMClose

Madeleine Bayard

Next meeting date and location:

March 28, 2019

10:00AM-12:00PM

Carvel Research & Education Center

16483 County Seat Highway, Georgetown, DE 19947

Delaware Early Childhood Council Vision

- ***Ready children:*** children who are physically and emotionally healthy, have access to high quality early learning experiences, and enter school prepared to succeed
- ***Ready families:*** families with the knowledge and resources needed to successfully support their children's development and learning
- ***Ready early care and education programs:*** programs that effectively support the growth, development, and learning of all children and are staffed by teachers who are well prepared, well compensated, and well supported
- ***Ready communities:*** communities that embrace their responsibilities for enhancing the quality of life of young children and their families through collaborations across all sectors
- ***Ready schools:*** schools that build upon and further enrich the learning foundations of young children and accelerate their continued success